

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of the Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) for an Order Authorizing It to Increase Rates for Water Service by \$18,972,300 or 24.17% in 2006; by \$1,534,500 or 1.57% in 2007; and by \$1,493,900 or 1.50% in 2008 in its Region III Service Area.

Application 05-02-004
(Filed February 1, 2005)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
ADMITTING EVIDENCE INTO THE RECORD**

On September 7, 2005, the City of Claremont filed its motion requesting that the Black and Veatch Analysis of Water Rates, dated April 9, 2001 and attached to the motion, be admitted into the record of this proceeding. The City of Claremont stated that no party challenged the authenticity of the Black and Veatch Analysis, and that it supports the Mayor of Claremont's testimony on the inequitable rates paid by Claremont residents as compared to neighboring cities. No party opposed the City's motion.

For good cause shown, **IT IS RULED** that the Black and Veatch Analysis, dated April 9, 2001, shall be included in the record as exhibit 55.

Dated September 29, 2005, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ MARIBETH BUSHEY

Maribeth Bushey
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Admitting Evidence into the Record on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated September 29, 2005, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ELIZABETH LEWIS

Elizabeth Lewis

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